

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: KOBAYASHI
Application No.: 10/563,302
Filed: 1/4/2006
Title: ELECTROSTATIC CHUCK FOR SUBSTRATE STAGE, ELECTRODE USED
FOR THE CHUCK, AND TREATING SYSTEM HAVING THE CHUCK AND
ELECTRODE
Art Unit: 2836 Exr.: T. MAI CONF. No.: 8395

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**MS: AMENDMENT**

December 2, 2009

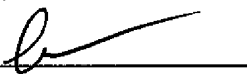
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a response within a two-month time period subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action mailed July 2, 2009. An electronic payment in the amount of \$490.00 to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (Docket No. 1113.45730X00) and any excess fees credited to that account.

Respectfully submitted,
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